Chronology of Staff Activities November 16, 2015 - June 13, 2016

November 18, 2015: Michael McCormick gave a presentation on *Introduction to the Maryland State Archives* at the Hyattsville Branch Library.

November 18, 2015: Maryland State Archives hosted a public lecture and book signing with Gregory & Nicole Priebe, authors of "Forgotten Maryland Cocktails" in conjunction with the exhibition from the James H. Bready Special Collection at Casewerks Gallery, Baltimore.

November 19, 2015: Staff members of Department of Natural Resources, Maryland Department of the Environment, and representatives of the Office of the Attorney General were given a tour of the State House.

November 20, 2015: Tim Baker, Elaine Rice Bachmann and Chris Kintzel attended a meeting of the State House Trust.

November 20, 2015: Vicki Lee and Christian Skipper presented a *Records Management and Emergency Preparedness Workshop* at the Baltimore City Archives.

November 20, 2015: Staff attended a Library of Congress Image Permanence Webinar "Contemporary Analog and Digital Color Photographic Prints".

November 20, 2015: Emily Oland Squires participated in a meeting of the Four Rivers Heritage Area.

November 21, 2015: Rob Schoeberlein presented *An Overview of the Baltimore City Archives* at the Enoch Pratt Library, Main Branch, Baltimore.

November 22, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann presented *From Winterthur to the White House:* How H.F. du Pont and Jacqueline Kennedy Became Tastemakers to the Nation at Winterthur Museum.

November 24, 2015: Chris Kintzel gave a tour of the State House to Ryan Polk, Curator, Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller National Historical Park.

December 2, 2015: Maya Davis met with Shakia Gullette, Curator, Banneker-Douglas Museum to discuss African American History research at the Archives.

December 2, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann presented a lecture, *State History in Silver: The USS Maryland Silver Service* at the Maryland State Archives.

December 3, 2015: Chris Haley attended a planning meeting for the Racial Relations Summit.

December 3, 2015: Rob Schoeberlein attended Community Conversations at Johns Hopkins University.

December 3, 2015: Staff members attended a webinar on Seasonal Affective Disorder: Caring for Collections During Seasonal Special Events.

December 3 - 4, 2015: Nate Miller and Rachel Frazier attended the Real World Reference Conference - Moving Beyond Theory.

December 4, 2015: Maya Davis gave a presentation on Caribbean Culture at the Latin American Forum, The Key School.

December 4, 2015: Staff presented the State House by Candlelight Holiday Program.

December 7, 2015: Emily Oland Squires gave a presentation at the Commission on African American History and Culture meeting, Banneker-Douglas Museum.

December 8, 2015: Tim Baker, Elaine Bachmann, Kevin Swanson, Nancy Sheads, and Kathryn Baringer met with the Plats.net User Advisory Group to discuss updates to plats.net.

December 8, 2015: Rob Schoeberlein attended a Youthworks Program event.

December 9, 2015: Emily Oland Squires attended a meeting of the Four Rivers Heritage Area Education Committee.

December 9, 2015: Rob Schoeberlein attended a meeting of the Maryland Historical Society Board.

December 15, 2015: Maya Davis and Chris Haley attended a meeting of the National Parks Service Harriet Tubman Discovery Center Consultant group.

December 15, 2015: Rob coordinated a meeting of the Maryland Historical Records Advisory Board and the University of Maryland Baltimore County.

December 23, 2015: Chris Haley consulted with Mark Wolper regarding participation in the new *Roots* release.

December 23, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann and Chris Kintzel led a tour of Government House for Robert Clark and Pandora Hess from Historic Annapolis.

December 28, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann and Chris Kintzel attended a "Night of the Arts" reception hosted by First Lady Yumi Hogan at Government House.

December 29, 2015: Owen Lourie met with Jim Adkins and Chris Christos of the Maryland Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution regarding the Maryland 400 project.

December 29, 2015 Rob Schoeberlein visited the Bon Secours Archives, Marriottsville.

January 7, 2016: Professor Glenn Johnston's archives class from Stevenson University began a three-week long term project at the Baltimore City Archives.

January 7, 2016: Jennifer Cruickshank presented a talk on *Introduction to Handling Historic Documents*.

January 8, 2016: Chris Haley and Emily Oland Squires met with Travis Cutler of Dominion Foundation regarding potential funding of the Legacy of Slavery program.

January 13, 2016: Wei Yang attended a seminar on Our Experience with Disaster Recovery in the Cloud.

January 13, 2016: V. Joyce Phelps and Nancy Sheads oversaw a transfer of church records from the Sharp Street United Methodist Church.

January 14 - 16, 2016: Tim Baker participated on the Program Committee in the development of content for the Council of State Archivists and the Society of American Archivists joint conference being held this Summer.

January 19, 2016: Maya Davis and Chris Haley attended a meeting of the National Parks Service Harriet Tubman Discovery Center Consultant group.

January 20, 2016: Staff attended Picturing Frederick Douglass: An Illustrated Biography of the Nineteenth Century's Most Photographed American at the National Archives.

January 27, 2016: Elaine Rice Bachmann, Emily Oland Squires, and Jennifer Hafner attended a research meeting with the Communications Office of the Administrative Office of the Courts regarding the Washington's Birthday Address in the Old Senate Chamber.

January 28, 2016: Allison Rein and Maria Day met with partners for the Maryland Newspaper Program at University of Maryland College Park.

February 1, 2016: Staff received ContentDM Training with the Digital Maryland Project.

February 2, 2016: Nassir Rezvan attended a meeting with Secretary Brinkley at the Department of Budget and Management.

February 3, 2016: Emily Oland Squires gave a Summer Internship presentation to students from St. John's College.

February 3, 2016: Vicki Lee and members of the Potomac Chapter of the Guild of Book Workers gave a *Brown Bag Lunch and Learn* session on their *Life Along the Potomac* exhibit. A reception for the exhibit was held later that evening at the Archives.

February 3, 2016: Emily Oland Squires gave a presentation to a meeting of the Four Rivers Heritage Area Summit.

February 4, 2016: Chris Haley served as emcee for the "Faces and Places of Baltimore" exhibit at City Hall Rotunda in Baltimore.

February 4 - 5, 2016: The Archives provided a live simulcast of the RootsTech Genealogical Conference for Archives patrons and staff.

February 10, 2016: Allison Seyler and Ryan Cox gave a presentation on the Certificate of Freedom Project to the National Archives National Assembly.

February 11, 2016: Emily Oland Squires participated as a judge on History Day at Ellicott Mills Middle School.

February 11, 2016: Maria Day met with representatives from St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Somerset County, at the conclusion of collaborative digitization project for historic parish registers.

February 11, 2016: Emily Oland Squires participated in the African American Read-In at The Key School in celebration of African American History Month.

February 12, 2016: Chris Haley was interviewed by Finn Neilsen for WNAV Radio.

February 18, 2016: Rob Schoeberlein participated as a judge on History Day at Mt. Royal Elementary School.

February 18, 2016: Chris Haley met with the Honorable Minister of Tourism for The Gambia, Director General of The Gambia Tourism board, The Gambia Roots coordinator and tourism representative Ida Jeng to discuss participation in the International Roots Festival 2016.

February 19, 2016: Maya Davis attended a Library of Congress program on "Finding Charity's Folk."

February 19, 2016: Staff attended a Loyola University seminar on *Managing People, Devices and Information*.

February 22, 2016: Elaine Rice Bachmann and Mimi Calver attended the Senate's annual George Washington Birthday ceremony in the Old Senate Chamber.

February 23, 2016: Staff conducted the first public Virtual Brick Wall Session.

February 23, 2016: Maria Day attended the Historic Lecture Series at London Town.

February 23, 2016: Chris Haley gave a presentation on *Slavery and Race - The Non-PC Topic* at the Bowie Senior Center.

February 25, 2016: Maria Day presented a talk on *Vintage Auto Travel in Maryland* for Historic Annapolis.

February 29, 2016: Staff attended a Library of Congress seminar on *Foxing and Reverse Foxing in Modern Papers*.

February 29 - March 1, 2016: Kathryn Baringer, Christian Skipper, and James Watson provided a series of training sessions to probate processing project volunteers.

March 1, 2016: Emily Oland Squires, Ryan Cox, Maya Davis, and Chris Haley attended an Anne Arundel County School Curriculum meeting.

March 2, 2016: Emily Oland Squires and Maria Day met with Heritage Montgomery regarding internship support for the Pleasant View Church Records Project.

March 2, 2016: Emily Oland Squires, Chris Haley, and Jennifer Hafner attended a research meeting with Mark Hildebrand regarding an Elizabeth Patterson Bonaparte documentary.

March 6, 2016: Elaine Rice Bachmann attended the First Annual Constitution Debate, 29th Company, U.S. Naval Academy.

March 7, 2016: Maria Day presented a talk on *Vintage Auto Travel in Maryland* at a public program co-hosted by Annapolis History Consortium and Maryland State Archives.

March 10 - 12, 2016: Chris Haley and Maya Davis attended the National Park Service's Harriet Tubman Commemoration event in Cambridge.

March 11, 2016: Rob Schoeberlein coordinated a meeting of the Maryland Historical Records Advisory Board at the Baltimore City Archives.

March 11, 2016: Vicki Lee met and advised iScan on the recovery of wet records.

March 14, 2016: Tim Baker, Kevin Swanson, and Kathryn Baringer met with representatives from FamilySearch, the Registers of Wills, and the Office of the Comptroller to discuss progress on the probate processing project.

March 14, 2016: Staff hosted a special Brick Wall Session for Historic Annapolis Volunteers.

March 15, 2016: Allison Seyler gave a tour of the CaseWerks "Maryland Rye" exhibit featuring the Bready Collection to Comptroller Peter Franchot.

March 16, 2016: Emily Oland Squires, Maya Davis, and Christian Skipper provided an overview and tour of the Archives to representatives from Montgomery Heritage and the Montgomery County Historical Society.

March 16 - 19, 2016: Allison Seyler and Owen Lourie attended the National Council of Public History Annual meeting *Challenging the Exclusive Past*.

March 17, 2016: Chris Haley presented From Myth to Resistance Movement: How Public History has Contributed to the Evolving Scholarship of the Underground Railroad at the National Council of Public History Conference.

March 17, 2016: Kathryn Baringer provided a training session on records management to the Maryland Municipal League.

March 18, 2016: Emily Huebner, Maya Davis, and Ryan Cox attended the Slave Dwelling Project at Brice House.

March 19, 2016: Archives staff hosted the public program for Maryland Day at the Maryland State House.

March 21, 2016: Chris Haley met with Michael Kurtz, University of Maryland College Park, regarding Emancipation Project partnership.

March 25, 2016: Rachel Frazier, Nate Miller, and Emily Oland Squires presented *Introduction to the Maryland State Archives* as part of the Workshop Series.

March 29, 2016: Staff attended the "Thinking Spatially" GIS Training Course provided by the Department of Information Technology.

March 30, 2016: Elaine Rice Bachmann and Chris Kintzel led a tour of the new Miller Senate Building exhibits for First Lady Yumi Hogan and Jinny Kong.

March 30, 2016: Archives staff hosted the Opening Reception for the Miller Senate Office Building Exhibits.

March 30, 2016 Rob Schoeberlein attended a Friends Council meeting of the Albin O. Kuhn Library, University of Maryland Baltimore County.

March 31, 2016: Vicki Lee and Christian Skipper provided an *Essential Records and Disaster Preparedness Workshop* to Baltimore City Records Managers at the Baltimore City Archives.

March 31, 2016: Maria Day and Allison Rein attended a meeting of the Maryland Digital Newspaper Program with University of Maryland staff.

April 1 - 3, 2016: Chris Haley participated in the Annapolis Film Festival as a panel moderator. **April 4, 2016:** Elaine Rice Bachmann attended a luncheon meeting hosted by First Lady Yumi Hogan at Government House for the Board of the Foundation for the Preservation of the Government House of Maryland.

April 4, 2016: Chris Haley hosted a meeting of the Commission on African American History and Culture, where Ryan Cox and Maya Davis gave a presentation on the Freedom Records Processing project.

April 4, 2016: Tim Baker, Kevin Swanson, Wei Yang, and Kathryn Baringer met with representatives from the courts to discuss the transfer of record images and index data.

April 4, 2016: Maria Day consulted with Captain Salem Avery Museum, Shady Side, on improvements to their archives collections management and storage.

April 11, 2016: Emily Oland Squires met with Anne Arundel County Schools Magnet Program Internship Coordinator, Nylca Van Dillen, to discuss a partnership with that program.

April 11, 2016: Chris Haley attended the Transition to Freedom Project kick-off at the Banneker-Douglass Museum.

April 13, 2016: Emily Oland Squires attended a meeting of the Four Rivers Heritage Area's Education Committee.

April 14, 2016: Allison Seyler gave a presentation on race, slavery, and Ta-Nehisi Coates' Between the World and Me for the BC Reads program at the Baltimore County Public Library.

April 14, 2016: Tim Baker, Elaine Bachmann, Elizabeth Newell, Kathryn Baringer, and Christian Skipper met with representatives from the Office of the Governor to discuss records management procedures.

April 14, 2016: Nate Miller, Christian Skipper, and Joyce Phelps attended the Court Family Law Professional Certificate Program Course.

April 14, 2016: Maria Day volunteered for an archivist's in-service day sponsored by the Mid-Atlantic Regional Archives Conference in Pittsburgh.

April 15, 2016: Corey Lewis gave a Career Day presentation at Morningside Public Charter School.

April 15, 2015: Chris Haley moderated a panel at the screening of the Oscar Micheaux film, Lying Lips at the Bowie Senior Center.

April 15, 2016: Maria Day was a panelist for a session on "Scope Drift" and the Changing Role of the Archivist at the Mid-Atlantic Regional Archives Conference in Pittsburgh.

April 16, 2016: Rob Schoeberlein gave a presentation at Clifton Mansion on *Contributions to Civility and Civil Life by Baltimore Women and African Americans in a Nation in Civil War.*

April 16, 2016: Chris Haley gave a presentation at the "A Race Through History Forum" at Anne Arundel Community College.

April 16, 2016: Vicki Lee gave a presentation on *Preserving Your Family Treasures* at the National Archives Research Library, Washington D.C.

April 19, 2016: Rob Schoeberlein chaired a meeting of the Maryland Historical Society Library Committee.

April 19, 2016: Ryan Cox participated in a Career Day panel at St. John's College.

April 19, 2016: Maya Davis and Chris Haley consulted with Col. William DeShields regarding African American History collections.

April 19 - 20, 2016: Corey Lewis attended the National Archives "Archiving 2016" Conference.

April 20, 2016: Maria Day and Emily Oland Squires attended an Oral History Workshop presented by Digital Maryland.

April 21, 2016: Tim Baker hosted Rebecca Katz, Archivist of the District of Columbia, for a tour and program review.

April 23, 2016: The Archives hosted a Daughters of the American Revolution Training Session and provided training.

April 23, 2016: The Archives hosted a Girl Scout Artist Badge session with Troop 2145 and the Guild of Book Workers, Potomac Chapter.

April **25**, **2016**: Special Collections and Conservation staff provided access to the State Battle Flag collection to a group of Civil War historians led by Jonathan Beasley.

April 26, 2016: Vicki Lee and Maria Day presented an "Intergovernmental Preparedness for Essential Records" workshop for Baltimore City records managers.

April 26, 2016: Chris Haley recorded video at the Annapolis City Dock and the Archives for QR Code content for the Alex Haley Memorial.

April 26, 2016: Maya Davis attended a meeting of the National Parks Service Harriet Tubman Discovery Center Consultant group.

April 26, 2016: Emily Oland Squires attended the "Marketing, Management, and Partnerships in Heritage Areas" Four Rivers Heritage Area workshop.

April 29, 2016: Vicki Lee assisted at the opening of the War Memorial Time Capsule in Salisbury.

April 29, 2016: Emily Oland Squires participated as a judge at the History Bee Regional Finals.

April **29, 2016**: Rob Schoeberlein, at the request of the Mayor's Deputy Chief of Staff, attended a records management meeting at the Baltimore City Hall.

May 2, 2016: Special Collections and University of Maryland Libraries co-hosted a Newspaper Wikipedia Edit-a-thon program in Maryland State Archives' electronic classroom.

May 3 - 15, 2016: Chris Haley attended the International Roots Festival in the West African country of The Gambia.

May 5, 2016: Rob Schoeberlein met with Mark Letzer, President, Maryland Historical Society, to discuss library operations at the Society.

May 5, 2016: James Watson attended the National Digital Stewardship Residency Symposium at the Library of Congress.

- **May 6, 2016:** Elaine Rice Bachmann attended a luncheon meeting hosted by First Lady Yumi Hogan at Government House for the Board of the Foundation for the Preservation of the Government House of Maryland.
- *May 7, 2016*: Emily Oland Squires, Elaine Rice Bachmann, Maria Day, and Christian Skipper served as judges for the State History Day Competition at UMBC.
- *May 10, 2016*: Elizabeth Newell and Liz Coelho assisted Governor Hogan's staff during a bill signing session.
- *May 12 14, 2016*: Maya Davis attended the National Runaway Ad Symposium at Cornell University.
- *May 13 18, 2016*: Vicki Lee and Jenn Cruickshank attended the 44th Annual Meeting of the American Institute of Conservation, "Emergency! Preparing for Disasters and Confronting the Unexpected in Conservation."
- *May 19, 2016*: Ryan Cox, Allison Seyler, Emily Huebner, and Maya Davis attended The Future of the African American Past Symposium.
- *May 20, 2016*: The Archives hosted a meeting of the Maryland Commission on Artistic Property.
- *May 21, 2016:* Maria Day received a donation of Southern High School's Veterans Oral History Project recordings as part of the project's culminating event.
- *May 23, 2016*: Allison Rein and Maria Day attended a meeting of the University of Maryland Newspaper Program.
- *May 26, 2016*: Ryan Cox participated as a judge at the "We the People: The Citizen and the Constitution" Simulated Congressional Hearing at Talbot Springs Elementary School.
- *May 26 29, 2016*: Maya Davis and Chris Kintzel attended the American Alliance of Museums Conference.
- **May 29 and June 1, 2016:** Elaine Rice Bachmann participated as a judge at the "We the People: The Citizen and the Constitution" Simulated Congressional Hearing at Severna Park Elementary School.
- June 1, 2016: First Day of the 2016 Summer Internship Program.
- **June 1, 2016:** Rachel Frazier presented an *mdlandrec.net* training session at the Prince George's County Library, Hyattsville Branch.
- **June 3, 2016:** Ryan Cox and Allison Seyler presented *Defining Freedom Maryland's Manumissions and Certificates for Freedom* at the Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad Conference.
- *June 4, 2016*: Staff attended "Tracing Your Roots Back to Africa: A Primer Course" presented by Michael Twitty at the Frederick County Public Library.
- **June 7, 2016:** Ryan Cox presented *Educational Resources of the Maryland State Archives* to the Maryland State Board of Education K-12 Digital Library Steering Committee.
- **June 8, 2016:** Ryan Cox and Emily Oland Squires participated in an Anne Arundel County Public School Teachers Maryland Course Writing Conference hosted at the Maryland State Archives.
- *June 8, 2016*: Rob Schoeberlein attended a Friends Council meeting of the Albin O. Kuhn Library, University of Maryland Baltimore County.

June 9, 2016: Emily Oland Squires attended a meeting of the Four Rivers Heritage Area Education group.

June 13, 2016: Emily Oland Squires participated as a judge at the National History Day Competition at University of Maryland College Park.